

# THE GETTYSBURG TIMES.

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Price Two Cent

Read Our

## Christmas Advertisement

on the last page.

(Look for the big Santa Claus like this)

You will find a long list

of useful and beautiful gifts, that may help you decide. Come to our store and look around.

**ECKERT'S STORE,**  
"On The Square"

### AT THE WALTER THEATRE TO-NIGHT

A Great Bill  
3 Reels Thanhauser Feature Biograph 3000 Feet Lux  
Ten Nights in a Bar Room  
Reduced to poverty through drink Joe Morgan sells his old home to Simon Slade. This masterpiece is even more popular than Uncle Tom's Cabin.  
A Gold Necklace  
A Devoted Little Brother  
She sings her favorite song "Daddy"  
Ma's New Dog  
We have the place we have the show, now why don't you make up your mind to go. 5c to all

### Make Good Use of the Last Few Days and do Your Holiday Shopping Here.

New supply of Shell Bark Kernels.

New lot of Oranges, sweet and juicy, Tangerines, Candies, Nuts, Cluster, Raisins, etc. Try one of our 5 lb. boxes assorted chocolates. Christmas Post Cards 8 for 5c. Christmas Booklets, 10c per dozen. Tags, Gift Cards and beautiful Art Calendars from 5c up. Letter Paper in beautiful Holiday Boxes, from 10c up. Mechanical and Electric Trains. Magic Lanterns and Moving Picture Machines. Post Card Protecting Machines. Christmas Festooning and Bells.

All Sorts of Toys and Dolls at all prices.

**Gettysburg Department Store.**

### WIZARD THEATRE

3 Reels Selig Edison  
Turning The Tables  
A story revolving around the fact that Mr. Peck has a fondness for going out with the boys  
Happy Jack A Hero  
A tramp proves himself to be one of the right sort in this picture  
The Swiss Guide  
A story told in that region of grandeur and beauty, the Canadian Rockies  
Mr. Four Flush  
He relates to his friends the wonderful adventures he had on a trip but the truth finally comes out  
A Show Worth Coming to See

Two things are positively necessary to make the well dressed man. High grade fabrics and good tailoring. Here you are sure of both.

**J. D. LIPPY,**  
Tailor.

## Xmas Presents

HERE FOR EVERYBODY

A full line of rubbers of all descriptions at medium prices. A fine line of Crawford Shoes for men, and good selection of ladies and children's shoes, lot button and lace. A good line of cord coats and Trousers, extra quality overalls and blouses, Shippensburg make.

**D. J. RIELE,** 13 and 15 Chambersburg St. Gettysburg, Pa. Phone 186 W.

### SMART PATTERNS FOR UP TO DATE DRESSERS

Where prices are based on quality of materials

Where a Guarantee means all that the word implies.

**BREHM "THE TAILOR"**

## The Quality Shop

We still have a large variety of Patterns in Winter Suitings. Some really beautiful patterns.

Our tailoring is what makes them becoming to the wearer.

**LET US SHOW THEM TO YOU**

**Seligman & McIlhenny**

Agency for Footer's Dye Works.

A complete line of Gent's Furnishings.

## SWINDLER WORKS LOCAL PEOPLE

Two Dressmakers and a Gettysburg Milliner Caught by Smooth Stranger with Attractive Foreign Fashion Magazines.

Two Gettysburg dressmakers and one milliner fell victims to the wiles of an artful solicitor and are now bemoaning the loss of an aggregate sum of about \$14.00. The man who gave his name as J. R. Crauston, visited town several weeks ago but no suspicion rested upon him until a few days ago when the "goods" failed to arrive and investigation showed that no firm such as he was supposed to represent existed at the address given.

The man who is described as a middle aged gentleman with an apparent wealth of knowledge about his business was selling magazines to dressmakers and milliners. He said he represented the International Fashion and Fabric Company of 175 Broadway, New York, and displayed the finest line of imported magazines for their work which had ever been seen here.

The foreign periodicals at once attracted the eyes of his victims to be and in conversation he showed that he knew the periodical business thoroughly. Handsome cuts and designs, far different from the ordinary American magazine of like nature, were displayed and then came the offer to sell at a reduction.

To the milliner he said "This magazine sells for \$12.00 a year but to introduce it you may have the first year for \$4.00." The money was forthcoming and a duly executed receipt given. One dressmaker was caught for \$7.00 and another for \$3.00.

The suave manner of the salesman was largely responsible for his success here. He was apparently unconcerned about whether or not he sold and this, with his honest appearance, accomplished his end. Letters written to 775 Broadway were returned a few days ago with information that the International Fashion and Fabric Company did not exist at that address.

### TROUBLE TO GET LICENSE

Miss Edna J. Reigle, formerly of this county, figured in an unusual marriage license incident in Cumberland County this week.

On Tuesday afternoon there applied at the Clerk of the Courts' office in Carlisle, a young couple from Enola, for a license to wed. The young lady was under the age of twenty one, being without a guardian, and her parents both dead, the license could not be issued.

The young lady gave a sigh, and likewise the countenance of the prospective groom took a downward glance. However, Samuel Bentz, a prominent resident of Carlisle, and for several years clerk of the courts and later assistant in that office, came to the aid of the young people. He had the necessary papers prepared, presented to the court and he was appointed guardian for the young lady. The license was then issued. The bride was Edna J. Reigle, formerly of this county, and the young man is Zacharias Miller, an employee of the Pennsylvania railroad. Both reside in Enola.

### THE CLIMAX

In telling how he discovered "The Climax" the new dramatic sensation by Edward Locke, which was proclaimed "by the Metropolitan dramatic critics to be as great, if not a greater success than "The Music Master," and which will be seen here, Joseph M. Weber, the manager, recited the case of a theatrical manager friend of his, who vociferously maintained that the trouble with the American stage is a lack of good authors. At Walter's Theatre Friday, Dec. 30.

### PATTERSON-YEALY

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 21st, Annie E. Yealy and George P. Patterson were married by Rev. E. Stocklager at the Mt. Joy parsonage. Mr. and Mrs. Patterson will move on Jonathan Allison's farm on the Taneytown road in the spring.

### JOINT MEETING

There will be a joint meeting of the Cloverleaf and Palm societies Friday afternoon at 1.30 at the High School Building.

MILLER, the cash grocer and confectioner, sells the purest line of 10c. candies in Gettysburg.

## "JOHN DOE" IS UNDER ARREST

Citizen Makes Arrest when Officer Cannot be Found. Drunken Man Makes himself Objectionable and is now in Jail.

A drunken stranger was placed under arrest on Wednesday evening by Mr. T. P. Turner who took him to the fire engine house where Constable Wilson later took charge of the prisoner and placed him in Sheriff Fissel's care.

The man who is known officially as John Doe had been about town during the afternoon and had gotten pretty thoroughly intoxicated. The effects of his condition made him happy but his language and general behavior were so objectionable that much complaint was raised over his presence.

"John Doe" finally came under the eye of Mr. Turner, who was not able to find an officer and deputized himself to make the arrest. "Come along," he said and the man offered no resistance.

Mr. Turner sent for Constable Wilson and then marched his prisoner to the engine house. Here he telephoned for Sheriff Fissel fearing that Mr. Wilson could not be found. The Sheriff was on his way to the engine house when Mr. Wilson arrived.

The technical charge is being "a common nuisance."

## Three Days to Xmas

# DEC. 22

NOW,  
Have You  
Forgotten  
Anybody?

### MRS. ERNEST MANN

Mrs. Emma Mann died Monday, Dec. 19, at 4.30 p. m. at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Slangenbaupt, at Littlestown, after a two months' illness. She was aged about 35 years.

She was married to Ernest Mann, son of Rev. Dr. Mann, formerly of Littlestown, and resided at Jersey City, N. J. Besides her husband and parents, she is survived by an infant son, Louis Albert, two months old. Three brothers also survive, Prof. Howard Slangenbaupt, of the faculty of Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster; Norman, of Trenton, N. J., and Raymond, of Lancaster.

Funeral Thursday, Dec. 22, at 1 p. m. Services at the house, Rev. Dr. Butz, of Redeemer's Reformed church officiating. Interment in Mt. Carmel cemetery, Littlestown.

### COLLEGE DAYS

This great musical comedy featuring Miss Grace Cunard, late of Three Twins and Harry DeWolf last season with the Red Mill Company will furnish the theatre goers plenty of entertainment with a company of 35 singers and dancers and the up-to-date songs and music. It will be a treat long to be remembered. All the latest song hits will be heard in this offering that plays at Walter's Theatre, January 4th.

### HOTEL OXFORD SOLD

Mrs. F. L. Flesman has sold Hotel Oxford, Pitt street, New Oxford, to G. P. Grove, proprietor of the Latierre House, Mt. Joy, Lancaster county, at \$14,000.

### CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The Christmas entertainment of the Biglerville Lutheran Sunday School will be given Friday evening at half past seven o'clock.

### GROCERIES TO CLOSE

The majority, if not all, of the town groceries will be closed on Monday.

## PREPARE FOR ANNIVERSARY

Fiftieth Anniversary Commission Meets in Philadelphia and Receives Suggestions from Many Different States.

The Pennsylvania State Commission in charge of the celebration of the 50th anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg met at the Union League Philadelphia this week.

Communications were received from every part of the country commending the project and offering suggestions for the celebration and also assistance in carrying out whatever plans might be adopted. The nature of these suggestions has not been made known.

It was decided to have each state legislature which meets this year notified of the proposed celebration and invited to make preparations for participation by their states. A special committee appointed for this work will meet General Louis Wagner, chairman, in Philadelphia on Friday, December 30.

## MANY KILLED IN MORNING FIRES

Dispatches received shortly after two o'clock this afternoon tell of a number of terrible fires entailing great loss of life which occurred during the morning.

### 13 BURN IN PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, Dec. 22—Thirteen bodies have been recovered from the ruins of the Freedlander Leather Company warehouse which was destroyed by fire early this morning. Twenty one firemen are still missing. All of the men were killed by falling walls and when the bodies were recovered they were found to be covered with ice several inches thick. It was one of the worst and most fatal fires in the history of the city.

### 30 DIE IN CHICAGO FIRE

Chicago, Dec. 22—Fire Chief Boran. Fire Marshall Burroughs with thirty other firemen were killed this morning during a fire in the Nelson Morris packing plant. Falling walls caused the fatalities. Many others are missing and the fire is still raging. The loss is already a half million. The flames were at one time thought to be under control but burst out again and ten extra engines were called for.

### FIRE AT HAGERSTOWN

Hagerstown, Md., Dec. 22—The Franklin Hotel in this city together with a number of other buildings burned today entailing a loss of \$200,000.

### 320 DEAD IN MINE

Manchester, England, Dec. 22—The work of rescuers at the Hulton mine was stopped today on account of the deadly gas. Two hundred dead bodies in the center of the mine are as yet unrecovered and the total death list will reach 320.

### HOTEL BURNS

Boston, Mass., Dec. 22—The Hotel Epicure at Hayward Place was destroyed by fire this morning with a loss of one hundred thousand dollars.

### LEAPS TO DEATH

New York City, Dec. 22—William Marchus, a dentist, after being rescued from a gas filled room fled to the roof of a seven story building from which he leaped to death.

### SENATOR'S SUDDEN DEATH

Ex-Senator Charles E. Quail, of Auburn, Schuykill county, a member of the Pennsylvania Gettysburg Monument Commission, dropped dead in the Auditor General's department at Harrisburg shortly before 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Heart disease was the cause of death, as diagnosed by Dr. George B. Kunkle who was quickly summoned.

LET Miller the cash grocer and confectioner supply you with oranges, grapes, nuts of all kinds for Xmas.

NOTICE: brooms made to order. Bring your corn. P. S. Peters, Bendersville.

THE wonder—Free sewing machine—Sold by Chas. S. Mmper.

Eat Ziegler's bread.

## SHORT PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Brief Paragraphs Telling the News of the Town and County and of Some Places Nearby. Short Items for Quick Reading.

Richard Steffy is at his home in this place for the holidays.

T. J. Winebrenner was a business visitor in York today.

Mrs. J. Harry Stine is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Oliver S. Trone, in Hanover.

Mrs. E. S. Rittinger, of Harrisburg, is spending the holidays with her parents, Sheriff and Mrs. Fissel, on East High street.

Miss Frances Fritchey has returned from Randolph Macon College, Virginia, to her home on East Middle street.

W. A. Taughinbaugh was a business visitor in Littlestown on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Daniel Plank, of near Gettysburg, and Mrs. Jacob Bushman and son, Ernest, of McKnightstown, left this morning to spend Christmas with Mrs. Alonzo Plank, of Philadelphia.

Captain James T. Long announces the engagement of his daughter, Miss Lillie Long, and Albert Judd, of Hagerstown. Mr. Judd is a Western Maryland railroad conductor.

Joseph Fritchey spent the day with friends in Hanover.

Miss Mary Trump spent Wednesday night with relatives here on her way to her home in Martinsburg, West Virginia, from Baltimore.

Donald Hake has returned from Buffalo, New York, to spend the Christmas holidays at his home on West Middle street.

Albert Billheimer who is attending Princeton University is at his home on Springs avenue for the holidays.

J. McCrea Dickson son of Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Dickson, stands seventh in the third year Medical Class at the University of Pennsylvania. Announcement of this has been made by Dean Allen J. Smith of the Medical Department of the University. There are 136 men in the class.

### BRUMBAUGH FOOT BALL CAPTAIN

At a meeting on Tuesday of the 1910 football team Roy T. Brumbaugh, better known as "Brummy," was unanimously elected captain. Of the election the "Gettysburgian" says: "As to the choice, no better one could have been made and this was indicated by all the votes being cast in his favor. For the last two years he has been a member of the 'Varsity. In 1909 he played a while at quarter and then at end. Last season he played his best game, very few gains being made around his end, and being especially fast in going down under punts. 'Brummy' played at North East Manual and there played on the football team in '05 and was captain of the basketball team in '07 and '08. From here he went to Lehigh and played on all the Freshman teams. In the middle term of 1909 he came to Gettysburg."

### DILLSBURG'S WATER FAMINE

At Dillsburg a large water pipe burst at the brick plant and before any person was aware of the leak the reservoir was entirely empty, leaving the town without water for forty eight hours before the break was found. The brick plant has not been in operation for some time, so it was the last place at which the leak was looked for.

### PROPERTY SOLD

Beniah Cassatt has sold his property on the Taneytown Road to Charles Hoffman. Terms private. Mr. Cassatt intends to move to town in the Spring. The sale was made through an "ad" in The Times.

### GAVE MANAGER A TURKEY

The employees of the electric power house have presented General Manager Turner with a thirty pound turkey.

LET Miller the cash grocer and confectioner supply you with green groceries. Fresh Friday and Saturday.

LOST: watch charm in shape of flat key, engraved with owner's name and Greek letters, Phi Beta Kappa. Reward at this office.

Eat Ziegler's bread.



# XMAS ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES



## For Xmas We Have

Hot Point Irons and Toasters, Westinghouse Toaster Stoves  
General Electric Toasters, Emeraldite Portables for Desk, Piano and Table  
Electric Heating Pads, Decorative Lighting Outfits

Utility Outfit in Ooze Leather Shopping Bag

Candelabra Decorative Lamps in Fruits,  
Nuts, Flowers and Animals

Can supply anything not in stock and deliver in 24 hours.

See display in Landau's drug store.

Opposite Eagle Hotel.

**T. P. TURNER**



## Are You in Doubt

About the Present  
to Give?

A YEAR'S SUBSCRIPTION TO

## THE GETTYSBURG TIMES

will be a daily reminder of your  
thoughtfulness. Most everybody  
gets it now, but they won't object  
to having a year's subscription paid.

## Solid Brass Portable Gas Lamps and Dining Room Dome Lights

Most  
Beautiful Designs  
seen anywhere.

The Shades on both  
the Portable lamps and  
the Dome lights have,  
in a number of instances,  
considerable artistic  
merit.

They are mostly in colored  
work, Amber, Green, Yellows

and the softer Reds. Quite a few are delightfully blended. The shades screw tightly on the  
lamps, which are all solidly built and stand firmly. The lamps conform in design with the shades  
**We Invite You to Look at Them** at the Gas Company Store, Baltimore Street.

**Gettysburg Gas Company.**



Portable Lamps  
from \$3 up.  
Dome Lights from  
\$5 up.

Lamps come complete  
with Mantle,  
Chimney,  
Six Feet of  
Tubing,  
Gooseneck and all  
ready to Light.

## Buy Your Xmas Fruits and Nuts from U. Ambrogia Fruit Co.

Our line for this Xmas exceeds all other years

California Oranges  
Florida Oranges  
Tangerines  
Grape Fruit  
Malaga Grapes  
Apples  
Raisins  
Lemons

English Walnuts  
American Walnuts  
Pecans  
Almonds (paper shell)  
Butternuts  
Hazelnuts  
Chestnuts  
Candies

## Pure Italian Olive Oil

No. 6 Baltimore Street

## The Holiday of Humanity



CHRISTMAS is indeed the  
holiday of humanity and  
by that token no less in-  
teresting than humanity itself.  
The rich current of its observ-  
ance has to carry all the be-  
quests of other ages—their  
ideals, their hopes, their recol-  
lections, the beliefs that had  
won the right to live, the gra-  
cious, joyous customs which  
had won the same right by  
helping or heartening men, as  
well as all that our age can  
contribute to it from the ma-  
terial, artistic and spiritual  
side. The modern feeling has  
made a place, as the feeling of  
each age is sure to do, for the  
mood of carnival as well as  
the mood of faith. It can  
weave into the fabric of the  
holiday time the little specta-  
cles of fireside felicity, the af-  
fectionate pledges of friends,  
the cheer of the loaded family  
board or banquet table, the  
taper lights and organ music  
of cathedrals, the offerings of  
music and the drama and all  
the noble product of the artist  
and the artisan. A sense  
of Christendom takes inventory  
of itself at this time in each of  
its thousand activities.

One of the benefactions of  
the holiday is that it gives men  
the chance to do this and puts  
them in the mood to do it. It  
is the best and greatest "truce  
of God." The pause it im-  
poses is not so much on war's  
alarm, although the din of con-  
flict grows ever feebler the  
while the message of "good  
will unto men" deepens into  
deed and custom, as it is on  
the absorptions and distrac-  
tions of an age so wrapped up  
in its pursuits that it hardly  
has time to look about it. At  
Christmastide men do look  
about them. That its atmos-  
phere could make a bad man  
out of a good one or a gener-  
ous man out of a selfish one is  
one of the paradoxes whereof  
perhaps we must look to the  
genial fiction of Dickens for  
complete verification. But it  
does make men kinder, more  
thoughtful, more serene, than  
their wont.



### You'll Find These in the Shops.

Christmas shoppers are fortunate  
this year in the number of novelties  
offered in the shops. There are sets  
of hat stands that come incased in  
leather and make useful presents for a  
man or a woman. Of more doubtful  
practicality is a new shoehorn with  
a handle thirty inches in length. It  
must appeal to the stout woman and  
maybe to the lazy.

For the woman who travels in out  
of the way places there is a compact  
leather case inclosing an alcohol flat-  
iron. While it costs more than an  
electric iron, it will be found valuable  
for summer travel, especially when  
going to the wilds where electricity is  
not known.

What to do with hatpins is always a  
question. The small bottles with cro-  
cheted cover and ribbon hangers that  
some women have given their friends  
are pronounced worse than useless.  
Doubtless it was a woman who in-  
vented the substantial leather tumbler  
shaped holders which are heavy  
enough to keep from tipping over and  
high enough to hold the pins.

A useful thing is a matchbox with a  
phosphorescent top that can be seen  
in the dark. Some curious pencil hold-  
ers may have their admirers. A  
heavy glass stand has set into it a  
post of spiral wire on the end of  
which is a short chain to which a lead  
pencil is attached.

### Children at Christmas Time.

We watched the trooping children play  
About the old house, once so gray  
And still. Then darkness fell.  
And one by one they said farewell.  
The music and the laughter stopped.  
The play was done, the curtain dropped.  
The waning lamp of mirth burned low  
With each last cry across the snow.  
And we, old friends, were left alone.

What was it lost that we had known?  
Old friend and true, must even we  
Find nevermore what used to be?  
Man lives by change; through ebb and flow  
The new lives come, the old lives go.  
We lose and gain, yet year by year  
The aging heart grows more austere.  
It may be that the strain and stress  
Of our mad times tempt joylessness;  
It may be that our feverish days  
Forget the old more genial ways;  
It may be, too, the ashes of  
Dead hopes and dreams have smothered  
love!

But plain it stands, no more we hold  
Earth's fond good fellowship of old.

Yet thanks to one small spark, old friend,  
As down the dusk of things we trend,  
Age shall not strip our very heart  
Of all its old congenial art.  
Aye, thanks to each small voice and light  
That lent its youth to us tonight,  
And thanks to that strange fugitive  
Enduring love by which we live,  
Through childlike eyes and childlike act  
We yet shall hold our youth intact!  
And thanks to one still jovial day  
We still, old friend, shall make our way  
By thought and men'sry through the snow  
To youth and that lost long ago  
Where laughter, holding both his sides,  
Made all our days seem Christmastide.  
—Arthur Stringer.

## XMAS GIFTS

—FOR MEN—

at H. B. Sefton's barber shop.

Razors, Brushes and Strops  
all guaranteed. Also a fine lot of

Pipes and Cigars, the best that can be bought  
Come and see them. 35 Baltimore St.

**H. B. SEFTON.**

1887 OUR GUARANTEE HAS A 1910  
RECORD OF YEARS

## CHAS. A. BLOCHER'S JEWELRY STORE,

CENTRE SQUARE. GETTYSBURG

Is offering this season a larger and  
more varied stock of new and novel  
articles in silver and cut glass than  
ever before.

## WATCHES

CLOCKS RINGS  
LOCKETS BROOCHES  
CHAINS

Gettysburg Souvenirs a Specialty

Sterling and  
Plated Tableware

Gilt Jewel Boxes  
& Toilet Articles

## Gettysburg Jewelry Company

Formerly J. Harry Stine

The entire stock will be sold at  
cost. Anything you want.

## A Good Book

will be appreciated especially if it is one of those interest-  
ing ones we sell at a special reduction.

## FINE WRITING PAPER

notably Eaton Hurlburt's hot pressed Vellum, will impress  
the recipient with your good taste.

## A FOUNTAIN PEN

that will write easily without dropping ink or leaking is  
the only kind to give—you can get one here.

## TOILET ARTICLES

Perfumes and Toilet Waters, also Neat Packages for small  
children. Best odors obtainable.

## L. M. Buehler,

9 Chambersburg Street. Gettysburg, Pa.

## Beck & Co., For Fruits

Will have a full line of Greens from the South.

Pineapples, Lettuce, Spinach, Kale, Oranges, Lemons,  
Tangerines, Cocoanuts, Celery, Cranberrys, Pumpkins,  
Oregon Apples, Nuts of all kinds, Grapes in baskets,  
Bananas, Grape Fruit, Smelts Potatoes, Cabbage.

## Fish Section

Halibut and Red Salmon Steak, White Perch, Fresh  
Spanish Mackerel, Flounders, Sweets, Ocean Trout and  
Rock Fish.

We are headquarters for oysters,

Let us have your orders  
Phone them in for Christmas.

Why is the letter "y" like a spend-  
thrift son? Because, you see, it makes  
no pay.

### Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local application, as they cannot reach the  
diseased portion of the ear. There is only one  
way to cure deafness and that is by constitu-  
tional remedies. Deafness is caused by an in-  
flamed condition of the mucous lining of the  
Eustachian Tube.

When this tube is inflamed you have a rum-  
bling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is  
entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and un-  
less the inflammation can be taken out, and this  
tube restored to its normal condition hearing  
will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten  
are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an  
inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any  
case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that can-  
not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for  
circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.  
Sold by Druggists 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation!



# Rapid Sales and Satisfied Customers have cut quite a hole in our big stock of Xmas Goods

That our selections for you were choice is proven by the way people are snapping up the finest things in our stock every day, but we always buy enough so the

**LATE BUYER**

will be abundantly cared for and highly pleased with what is to be had at the

**PEOPLE'S DRUG STORE**

P. S. Empty Holly and Poinsetta boxes all sizes on hand.

## Christmas without Candy

Is Like 4th of July without Noise

A large assortment at our store this year.

**FRUITS and GREEN GROCERIES**

Fresh shipment of green goods twice a week. **NUTS** of all kinds



Fresh Mountain Celery Every Week

**J. B. WINEMAN,**

Centre Square.

## XMAS SALE

Get Your

**Christmas Candy**

where it's made and have it

**FRESH and PURE**

All guaranteed under the Food and Drugs Act June 30, 1906

Special Mixture

10c, 15c 2 pounds for 25c and 20c per pound.

Chocolates Twenty Cents Per Pound

Bon Bons in great variety 25c per pound up.

Taffies, all kinds, 10c per pound up.

**Gettysburg**

**Candy Kitchen**

**GUST VARELAS, Prop.**

Next door to Eagle Hotel



**Banner Lye**

is easy to use

No other lye is packed so safely and conveniently, or is so economical—not a bit wasted. No other lye or soap cleans and disinfects so easily and thoroughly as *Banner Lye*. It is not old-style lye. Odorless and colorless; the greatest cleanser and disinfectant the world has ever known. Use it for cleaning your kitchen, cellar, sinks, dairy, milk-pans and bottles, for softening water, and the labor of washing and cleaning will be cut in half.

**Makes pure soap**

and saves money besides. A 10-cent can of *Banner Lye*, 5½ pounds of kitchen grease, ten minutes' easy work (no boiling or large kettles), and you have 10 pounds of best hard soap or 20 gallons of soft soap.

*Banner Lye* is sold by your grocer or druggist. Write to us for free booklet, "Uses of *Banner Lye*." The Penn Chemical Works Philadelphia U.S.A.

**Public Sale**

OF

**Valuable Fruit Farm**

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 1911  
at 1 o'clock P. M.

The undersigned, administrator of the estate of Henry Wilkinson, late of Hamilton township, Adams county, Pennsylvania, deceased, pursuant to an order of the Orphan's Court of Adams County made on December 5, 1910, will offer at public sale on the premises in Hamilton township, Adams county, the following described valuable real estate, to wit:

A tract of land situate in Hamilton township, Adams county, Pennsylvania, about one mile west of Fairfield Station and about one half mile west of the public road leading from Fairfield Station to Maria Furnace Station, access to which public road is had by a private road, and adjoining lands of William and Gustavus Culp, Mrs. M. V. Miller, Samuel Walter, heirs of Joseph Musselman and H. M. Landis, containing 101 acres and 87 perches of land, more or less, improved with a two-story dwelling house, bank barn and other necessary outbuildings. This farm is especially adapted to fruit growing and is within easy reach of shipping station at Fairfield. Possession will be given to the purchaser on April 1, 1911. Sale will commence promptly at one o'clock when terms will be made known by

THOMAS WILKINSON,  
Administrator

## Keeley Cure

The cure that has been continuously successful for more than 31 years is worth investigating. For the drug or drink habit. Write for particulars.  
The Keeley Institute,  
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	Per B.
Wheat	88
New Ear Corn	55
Rye	68
New Oats	35

### RETAIL PRICES

	Per 100
Sucrose	1.30
Schmacker Stock Feed	1.40
Wheat Bran	1.30
Cotton seed meal, per hundred	\$1.70
" " " " " " " "	\$33.00

Corn and Oats	1.40
White Middlings	1.50
Red Middlings	1.45
Timothy hay	1.00
Rye chop	1.60
Baled straw	50

Plaster	\$7.50 per ton
Cement	\$1.35 per bbl.

Flour	\$4.80
Western flour	6.50

	Per bn
Wheat	1.00
Shelled Corn	70
New Ear Corn	60
New Oats	45

## Western Maryland Ry

SCHEDULE IN EFFECT, SEPT. 25, 1910. Trains leave Gettysburg DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY, as follows:

8:42 a. m., for Baltimore, Hanover, and York and all intermediate points.  
10:08 a. m., for Fairfield, Pen Mar, Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Hancock, Cumberland, Elkins and all points westward.  
1 p. m. for New Oxford, Hanover, York and intermediate points.  
3:42 p. m., for Baltimore, Hanover, York and all intermediate points.  
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5:40 p. m., local train to York.  
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JANUARY		
Date	Name	Auctioneer
5	Dr. C. E. Goldsboro	Thompson
21	Daniel Croner, Agt.	Oxford
21	George Mummert	Bendersville
FEBRUARY		
1	Martin Harman	Straban
2	George Jeffcoat	Mt. Pleasant
8	H. A. Swartz	Cumberland
10	C. W. Haverstick	Franklin
11	C. O. Yohe	Cumberland
11	Harry T. Smith	Straban
14	George W. Wolf	Cumberland
15	Joseph Klunk	Mt. Pleasant
21	J. T. Hartzell	Cumberland
16	Addison Leer	Straban
17	E. C. March	Mt. Joy
18	John W. Shutter	Mt. Pleasant
18	J. P. Mummert	Mt. Pleasant
21	W. H. Deardorff	Straban
22	G. T. Hartzell	Mt. Pleasant
23	T. C. Grove	Straban
24	Rupp & Potter	Tyrone
25	A. Hoff	Mt. Pleasant
25	C. A. Rife	Mt. Pleasant
27	H. B. Brown	Straban
28	G. E. McGuigan	Mt. Pleasant
28	Daniel Settle	Franklin
28	Eli Pitzer	Mt. Pleasant
MARCH		
1	A. H. Keady	Hamiltonban
1	Jacob Enlet	Straban
2	L. E. Hershey	Seven Stars
2	Robert A. Stultz	Liberty
3	S. S. and G. P. Patterson, adm.	Mt. Pleasant
3	William Bringham	Straban
4	C. D. Bream	Franklin
4	J. D. Shafer	Tyrone
4	C. B. Hartman	ashtown
4	C. G. Hartlaub	Mt. Pleasant
6	Warren Miller	Huntington
6	H. W. Deardorff	Franklin
6	R. H. Coleman	Straban
7	F. J. Wolf	Mt. Pleasant
7	Charles Rife	Hamiltonban
8	Joseph Weaver	Tyrone
8	Crist Guise	Franklin
8	Ira Biesecker	Hamiltonban
8	Amos Minter	Franklin
9	A. P. Ginter	Mt. Pleasant
9	David Maring	Cumberland
9	George A. Bowers	Butler
9	John Cook	Franklin
10	Harry Eppelman	Menallen
10	J. H. Sherman	Mt. Pleasant
11	Elias Wolford	Mt. Pleasant
11	J. Lewis Kane	Franklin
11	J. A. Bream	Butler
13	M. P. Baker	Mt. Pleasant
13	Edward Bream	Menallen
13	Frank Weidner	Tyrone
14	Crist Deardorff	Butler
14	D. B. Gaugher	Mt. Joy
14	William Smith	Menallen
15	Charles Slonaker	Franklin
15	J. M. Reinecker	Butler
16	T. S. Newman	Franklin
16	Mrs. William Bowers	Tyrone
16	H. W. Weaver	Mt. Pleasant
17	H. R. Honck	Tyrone
17	Franklin L. Kime	Butler
18	Landis Wintrod	Mt. Joy
18	Oscar C. Rice	Menallen
18	D. A. Mickley, executor	Cashtown
20	Elmer Miller	Tyrone
20	Henry Wherley	Mt. Joy
21	H. C. Wagner	Straban
21	Harry Showers	Menallen
22	Calvin Moose	Butler
23	C. D. Smith	Butler
23	Annie E. Shank	Franklin
24	John H. Weaver	Mt. Pleasant
25	Frank Dellinger	Butler
25	C. F. Pool, agt.	Tyrone
25	William Shepherd	Menallen
28	H. A. Brenizer	Tyrone

## LULU GLASER.

Actress Wants to Give Up Her  
Husband For Another.



## LULU GLASER WANTS DIVORCE

Husband Says She Has No Ground on Which to Base Suit.

New York, Dec. 22.—Ralph Herz, the actor, admits that his wife, Lulu Glaser, the actress, has left him and that she wants a divorce.

The man whom Miss Glaser wants to be her second husband, it is said, is another actor of some prominence now appearing in the show in which she is playing.

"I will not give her up," said Herz. "I love her dearly, and I am sure that after awhile she will come back to me. If there is any divorce she will have to bring it, and she has no grounds upon which to base a suit."

## GOVERNMENT SUES ART DEALERS

## Seek to Seize \$600,000 Stock For Customs Frauds.

New York, Dec. 22.—Assistant United States Attorney William L. Wemple filed a civil suit in the United States district court against Duveen Brothers, the art dealers, to forfeit practically the entire stock in trade of that firm, valued approximately at \$600,000.

Thirteen complaints have been prepared by the government, but only nine have been filed. The schedules in these nine complaints makes a total value of the Duveen goods already seized of \$480,760; duty, \$75,845; foreign value, \$404,915.

Mr. Wemple said that the government would not confine its forfeiture proceedings to the stock already under seizure, but would eventually attempt to forfeit all goods sold to patrons which are tainted with customs fraud. This means that any person who has purchased an article from Duveen Brothers on which it can be shown that full duty has not been paid will be compelled to surrender the article.

## MUMPS IN NAVY HOSPITAL

One Entire Company at Norfolk Under Quarantine.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 22.—An epidemic of mumps has broken out at the St. Helena naval station, and an invitation to the enlisted men there, from a local Methodist preacher, to attend Christmas services at his church on Sunday had to be declined as a result.

One entire company of 136 men are under strict quarantine.

## Old Boundary Stands.

Washington, Dec. 22.—Within a short time after President Taft had sent a special message to congress urging such action, the senate adopted a joint resolution authorizing the annulment of a portion of the constitution of the proposed new state of New Mexico attempting to change the established boundary line between Texas and New Mexico.

## Names Three Postmasters.

Washington, Dec. 22.—President Taft sent to the senate the nomination of John E. Barrett as postmaster at Scranton, Pa.; Joseph T. Hemphill, at Washington, Pa., and Josiah R. Dadds, at Franklin, Pa.

## WEATHER EVERYWHERE.

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather.
Albany.....	19	Clear.
Atlantic City....	20	Clear.
Boston.....	22	Snow.
Buffalo.....	12	Clear.
Chicago.....	26	Clear.
New Orleans.....	46	Clear.
New York.....	17	Clear.
Philadelphia....	22	Clear.
St. Louis.....	32	Clear.
Washington.....	24	Clear.

## Weather Forecast.

Fair, slowly rising temperature, today; tomorrow, snow, warmer.

## LORIMER CLEAR OF BRIBERY CHARGE

Probers Declare Only Four Votes Were Tainted.

## NOTHING TO IMPLICATE HIM

Report Says No Testimony Was Offered to Show Senator Attempted Corrupt Practice of Any Sort.

Washington, Dec. 22.—The report of the committee on privileges and elections in the Lorimer case was presented to the senate by Mr. Burrows.

It says that no testimony was offered during the investigation which would tend in the remotest degree to implicate Senator Lorimer in any personal act of bribery or attempted bribery or corrupt practices of any nature.

The committee, therefore, finds that Lorimer's title to a seat in the senate has not been shown to be invalid by the use or employment of corrupt methods or practices, and asks to be discharged from further consideration of the case.

After a full review of the charges against Lorimer and the testimony in the case the committee, assuming that some votes were bought, discusses the question whether a "sufficient number were bribed to vote for Senator Lorimer to render his election invalid."

## Says Election Was Valid.

On this point the committee says: "Even if it should be conceded that four members of the Illinois general assembly, before referred to, received money in consideration for their votes for Mr. Lorimer, there are no facts or circumstances from which it could be found or legally inferred that any other member or members of the said general assembly were bribed to vote for Mr. Lorimer."

"The majority for Senator Lorimer in the joint assembly was fourteen. Unless, therefore, a sufficient number of these votes were obtained by corrupt means to deprive him of this majority, Mr. Lorimer has a good title to the seat he occupies in the senate."

"If it were admitted that four of the members of the general assembly who voted for Mr. Lorimer were bribed to do so, he still had a majority of the votes cast in the general assembly and his election was valid."

In relation to charges that a corruption fund was used in the Illinois legislature and that it was disbursed by one Robert E. Wilson, the report says that there is no evidence that it was used for the benefit of Mr. Lorimer.

The committee suggests that any investigation of the use of such a fund should be made by authorities of the state of Illinois and that the United States senate has no concern about it.

The report was not signed by the members of the committee, although it did not appear that there was any minority. On the floor of the senate, however, Mr. Beveridge said that he had not been able to concur with or dissent from the findings, because of the voluminous character of the testimony.

He asked that a specific time be named for acting upon the report, but Senator Gallinger objected on the ground that the matter was privileged and could be called from the table at any time by any senator.

## MILLIONAIRE CHICKEN RAISER

George B. Markle Going Into Poultry Business on Big Scale.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Dec. 22.—Determined that in the future he will not run the risk of not being able to secure as many strictly fresh eggs as he desires, Millionaire George B. Markle, mining and railroad magnate, has announced that he is having installed at his farm as Eps, near here, incubators with a capacity of 6000 eggs, and that he intends to raise chickens by the thousands and as many eggs as they will lay.

The incubators, as are the chicken houses already built at the farm, are to be of the most approved pattern and with the most modern heating apparatus, and they will not only supply chickens and later their eggs for all of Mr. Markle's personal needs, but also for a profitable market.

## Cut Patients' Egg Diet.

York, Pa., Dec. 22.—Tuberculosis patients were notified that their supply of fresh eggs would have to be discontinued. The order came from the state health department and was found to be absolutely necessary, as the price of eggs has reached 42 cents a dozen and is beyond the reach of the appropriation. About 125 dozen a month have been given out to indigent patients here.

## Delaware's Governor Names Judge.

Dover, Del., Dec. 22.—Governor Pennell announced as his choice for resident associate judge for New Castle county, to succeed Judge Daniel O. Hastings, resigned, Philip Q. Churchman. He is a member of the New Castle county bar and a prominent attorney of Wilmington.

## Town Doubles Population.

Washington, Dec. 22.—The population of Old Forge, Lackawanna county, Pa., according to the thirteenth census statistics, is 11,324, compared with 5630 in 1900, more than 100 per cent increase.

## PENSIONS FOR U. S. CLERKS

Provisions For Retirement Under Civil Service In New Bill.

Washington, Dec. 22.—A retirement provision for government employees under the civil service is provided for in a bill introduced in the house by Representative Goulden, of New York.

The retirement feature is based on the average annual pay of the employees for the five years preceding retirement.

After 30 years of service, clerks may retire at the age of sixty, with 50 per cent of the annual pay; after 25 to 30 years of service they may retire at sixty-two, with 45 per cent of the annual pay; after 20 to 25 years of service they may retire at sixty-five, with 40 per cent of the annual pay.

For disability retirement is permitted after five years' service, at a pension of 30 per cent of the annual pay; after from 5 to 10 years' service, at 40 per cent of the annual pay, and after from 10 to 20 years' service, at 50 per cent of the annual pay.

## FIND PETRIFIED WOMAN

Workmen Unearth Body With Jewels In Ruins of Pompeii.

Rome, Dec. 22.—The most interesting discovery for a long time has been made at Pompeii. Workmen who were digging for the foundations of a new building outside the area of the buried city found the body of a woman that had been petrified. Both the hands were full of jewels.

Evidently the woman fled and was buried in the downpour. The jewels are excellently preserved, they having been protected from the ashes and lava by the body. They consist of bracelets, necklaces, rings, amulets studded with gems and a pair of earrings which are probably unique.

They may be the most valuable specimens of ancient jewelry ever discovered. Each earring contains twenty-one perfect pearls, set in gold, in imitation of a bunch of grapes.

## WITNESSES DENY ELECTION FRAUDS

Delaware Attorney General Questions Politicians.

Dover, Del., Dec. 22.—Attorney General Andrew C. Gray was here, personally conducting his official investigation of charges of bribery and corruption in connection with the recent election in this state. He was assisted by Deputy W. W. Harrington, of Kent county.

Mr. Gray examined in private members of the Republican and Democratic committees of Kent county, a man at a time, alternating between the two parties.

In a steady stream they entered and departed from his office in the court house. What disclosures, if any, have been made to him have not been ascertained, witnesses generally keeping quiet after leaving his presence. Generally, however, the witnesses disclaim any knowledge of the corrupt use of money.

E. W. Jenkins, chairman of the Kent county Republican committee, has been visiting in Suffolk, Va., with his family, and it is not known here when he will return, although he may be here on any train.

The attorney general's move, which will spread over the entire state, has stirred the politicians of both parties to a considerable extent, and also attracts a large amount of public interest.

## XMAS DINNER FOR HORSES

Kansas City Humane Society Will Give Each a Sack of Oats.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 22.—All the horses of Kansas City have been invited, through their owners, to attend a Christmas dinner.

The humane society chose a place for serving the dinner. Each horse will receive a large sack of oats and hay, enough to make it feel fat.

## Caned Veteran; Indicted.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 22.—Charged with whipping an aged Confederate veteran with a cane, Superintendent A. W. Force, of the Confederate Soldiers' home, was indicted here for assault and battery. M. C. Frew, an inmate of the home, told the jury that he was caned for calling the superintendent names.

## GENERAL MARKETS

PHILADELPHIA — FLOUR quiet; winter clear, \$3.65@3.90; city mills, fancy, \$5.75@6.

RYE FLOUR quiet, at \$4@4.10 per barrel.

WHEAT steady; No. 2 red, new, 94@95c.

CORN quiet; No. 2 yellow, local, 53@55c.

OATS steady; No. 2 white, 38½c.; lower grades, 37½c.

POULTRY: Live steady; hens, 12@13c.; old roosters, 10c.; dressed, 12c.; turkeys, choice, 24@25c.; choice fowls, 17c.; old roosters, 12½c.

BUTTER steady; extra creamery, 31½c. per lb.

EGGS firm; selected, 40@42c.; near-by, 35c.; western, 35c.

POTATOES quiet, at 58@60c. bush.

## Live Stock Markets.

PITTSBURGH (Union Stock Yards)—CATTLE active; choice, \$6.40@6.60; prime, \$6.25@6.35.

SHEEP steady; prime wethers, \$4@4.10; culls and common, \$2@3; lambs, \$4.50@6.50; yearlings, \$3@4.

HOGS higher; prime heavies, \$8@8.05; mediums, \$7.80; heavy Yorkers, \$8.10; light Yorkers, \$8.15; pigs, \$8.15; roughs, \$6.75@7.25.

## Public Sale

OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE  
AND PERSONAL PROPERTY

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1910

The undersigned, Administratrix of Samuel G. Sneeringer, late of McSherrystown Borough, Adams county, Pennsylvania, deceased, by virtue of an order of the Orphans Court of Adams County, will sell at public sale on tract No. 1, hereinafter described, the following described four tracts of real estate:

TRACT No. 1. Situated in Conewago township, Adams county, Pennsylvania, consisting of a valuable farm, improved with a dwelling house, large bank barn, and other necessary outbuildings. Conveniently located, adjoining McSherrystown Borough and lying immediately along the Hanover & McSherrystown Street Railway running from Hanover to Littlestown, and along the new State Highway; more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a stake at public road leading from McSherrystown to Gettysburg; thence along said road north 79 degrees and 10 minutes east 97.8 perches to a stake; thence north 54 degrees 40 minutes east 19.8 perches to an iron pin at said road; thence north 58 degrees 55 minutes east 62.65 perches to a point on Main street, in the Borough of McSherrystown; thence along an alley 16 feet wide north 32 degrees west 13.45 perches to a stake, at another alley 16 feet wide; running at right angle to the aforesaid alley; thence along the said alley north 58 degrees east 8.85 perches to a post; thence along lands of John Zinn north 20½ degrees west 61.8 perches to a stake; thence along land of Sisters of St. Joseph south 59 degrees west 14.3 perches to a stake; thence along the same north 32 degrees 10 minutes west 20.6 perches to a stake; thence along lands of C. J. Delone south 55 degrees 40 minutes west 60.6 perches to a stake; thence along the same south 57 degrees 10 minutes west 103.7 perches to stake; thence along lands of Martin Frey south 15 degrees 50 minutes east 58.5 perches to place of beginning. Containing Ninety-three Acres and Eighty-seven Perches of land.

TRACT No. 2. Situated in Conewago township, Adams county, Pennsylvania, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a stone in the public road leading to Robert's Mill, and running thence in said road 37¼ degrees west 9 perches to a point in said road; thence along lands of Jonas Freidinger south 41¼ degrees east 15.7 perches to a stone; thence along same and along lands of John Weaver south 37¼ degrees west 20.1 perches to a stake; thence along lands of Mary Waltman south 41½ degrees east 101.3 perches to a stone; thence along lands of Joseph Lawrence and Amos Bair north 40½ degrees east 26.4 perches to a stone; thence along lands of Mrs. David Little, George I. Rice and Jonas Freidinger north 41¼ degrees west 118 perches to the place of beginning. Containing Sixteen Acres and One Hundred and Twenty-seven perches of land; six acres and one hundred and four perches being timberland. This property is without any improvements in the way of buildings, but would make a very desirable site for a small truck farm. It is convenient to the street railway and less than one-half mile from State highway.

TRACT No. 3. Situated in the Borough of McSherrystown, Adams county, Pennsylvania, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point at Main street at a public alley 16 feet wide; running thence along said alley north 32 degrees west 176 feet to another public alley 16 feet wide; thence along said alley north 58 degrees east 51 feet to other lands of Samuel G. Sneeringer; thence along the same south 32 degrees east 176 feet to Main street; thence along same south 58 degrees west 51 feet to the place of beginning. Improved with a Dwelling House.

TRACT No. 4. Situated in the Borough of McSherrystown, Adams county, Pennsylvania, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point at Main street at lands of Catharine Rider, and running thence along said Main street south 58 degrees west 42 feet, thence along other lands of Samuel G. Sneeringer north 32 degrees east 176 feet to a public alley 16 feet wide; thence along said alley north 58 degrees east 76 feet to lands of Catharine Rider; thence along the same south 20½ degrees east 185.5 feet to the place of beginning. Improved with a Dwelling house.

Also at the same time and place will sell the following personal property belonging to the estate of the said Samuel G. Sneeringer, deceased:

3 horses, all good workers; 1 cow, fresh by day of sale; 10 fine thriving shoats, 4 new sets of wagon harness (hand sewed) single double and treble trees spike harrow, spring tooth harrow, 2 plows, field sled, land roller, hay rake, wheel, wheelbarrow, grindstone, pair Fairbanks scales, one and two-horse wagon, four-horse wagon with new hay carriage, large dinner bell, 50 locust posts, 1600 bushels ear corn, lot of corn fodder and straw, forks, shovels, saws, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

2 Corn/Workers, 1 Planter, 1 Mower 40 Chickens, all implements new.

Also one share of stock of Hanover Drove Yard Company.

Sale to begin at 1 o'clock P. M. Terms by

MAGGIE R. TIMMINS,

Administratrix

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H. S. Reigle, Clerk.

I have for sale the largest line of stoves in town, from \$13.00 up. Before buying give me a call.

C. C. Rider,

United Phone. W 52 Middle St

## FOR SALE

I have a few fresh cows I will sell, also some good draft horses and mares. Will buy calves at any time and pay the highest cash prices for them. Drop me a card or phone to G. J. Bushman's Livery, Race Horse Alley, Gettysburg.

ADAMS' Argood Chocolates at Buehler's Drug Store.



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**Crullers,  
All Cakes,  
Biscuits, Hot Breads  
More Tasty, Economical,  
Absolutely Healthful**

## NO CHANCE FOR MARTINE

Think Wilson Is Backing Forlorn Hope For U. S. Senate.

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 22.—While Governor-elect Woodrow Wilson had the Essex assemblymen in conference at his Princeton home, politicians here agreed that James E. Martine hasn't a ghost of a chance of winning a seat in the United States senate.

The Essex assemblymen will not desert Smith; they belong to him and unanimously urged him to declare himself a candidate. If later on they find they cannot elect him they certainly won't vote for Martine.

Not even in Union county—Martine lives in Union—is there any sentiment favoring the "farmer orator," and politicians there are amazed that the governor-elect should advocate the candidacy of one who admittedly has not the qualifications for the office.

Smith will have the support of the Hudson county assemblymen, as "Bob" Davis, who is the leader there, has announced.

## FOUND MAN'S BODY PACKED IN BARREL

Sent as Part of Shipment of Turkeys.

Montreal, Que., Dec. 22.—The body of an old man, instead of a shipment of turkeys, was what met the astonished gaze of Storeman James Singleton, of the Canada Cold Storage company, when he opened a barrel.

The storekeeper fainting from the shock of his discovery. Several barrels of turkeys had come from Ontario from some point on the Grand Trunk railway, yet unknown, and arrived at Montreal on Dec. 2.

The shipment was made, as many are, to the Grand Trunk railway itself. The railway company, finding that no one had appeared to claim the fowl, telephoned to James Dalrymple, a produce merchant, to come over and make an offer for the shipment of "extra freight," as it is termed.

In the meantime Storeman Singleton got the barrels into the open warehouse so that they could be examined. He opened one to see in what shape the fowl was. As he ripped back the paper covering of the supposed fowl he uncovered the body of an old man doubled up in the barrel.

The body was trussed by a cord which was tied around the neck and then ran to the knees, holding it in the barrel. A hasty examination showed that there were no marks of violence on the body.

At the morgue a superficial examination showed the body to be that of a man apparently seventy years old, white haired and with a heavy white beard. The body was dressed in a white shirt of linen, this being the only garment.

### Files 320 Miles For Cup.

Pau, France, Dec. 22.—M. Legagneux, the French aviator, established a new record in the Michelin cup competition, covering a distance of 516 kilometers, or 320.43 miles. The Michelin cup is awarded annually to the aviator making the longest sustained flight in a closed circle, within the year and exceeding the record of the previous year. The winner receives a premium of \$4000. The prize last year was won by Henry Farman, who made 138 miles.

### Congress Takes Recess.

Washington, Dec. 22.—Congress has adjourned for the holiday recess until Jan. 5. Little business was done in either house owing to the difficulty of keeping enough members in their seats to insure a quorum.

## 280 ENTOMBED IN MINE EXPLOSION

Deadly Gas Hurled Back on Imprisoned Workers.

### ONLY EIGHT ARE RESCUED

Flames, Raging In Colliery, Menace the Lives of 400 Other Miners In Adjoining Shaft.

Bolton, England, Dec. 22.—An explosion, followed by fire, and causing many fatalities, occurred in the Little Hulton colliery of the Hulton Colliery company, here soon after more than 280 miners had gone below the surface to begin the day's work.

Ten bodies were recovered lying close to the mouth of the pit. In each case death was due to asphyxiation.

The fate of about 280 men still entombed, the exact number cannot be known, remains in doubt, but those who had been below in an effort to reach them expressed little hope that any more could be rescued alive.

For a time the lives of 700 men were in jeopardy, as a mine communicating with the one in which the explosion occurred was also damaged by the shock, and it was some time before its 400 occupants could be reached and brought to the surface.

### Limbs Blown Off.

One of the eight miners who escaped said that the force of the explosion was such that the limbs of many were blown off.

The report was heard at points several miles distant. Thousands of persons from the surrounding country are still gathered at the pit head. The holiday garb of the city is already being replaced with emblems of mourning.

The cause and extent of the disaster was in doubt for several hours. The first rescuing party to reach the scene succeeded in bringing seven men and a boy to safety and later recovered the bodies of five victims who had no chance of escape.

At the moment of the explosion flames spread through the affected passage and smoke and poisonous gas fumes filled the shaft.

The plight of the miners was rendered more desperate by a mishap to the machinery of the shafts, where the cages refused to move for a time, preventing a quick escape and interfering with the ventilation. The rising gases were checked by obstructions and driven back upon the entombed men. Meantime the fire raged fiercely, and it is supposed that many who were not killed by the noxious fumes were burned to death.

### No Hope For the Imprisoned.

The rescuers were unable to go direct to the spot where the miners were entombed, and there was some delay while they sought access to the place through adjoining leads.

A member of the rescuing party who came up from the pit after twilight expressed the opinion that there was practically no hope for the imprisoned ones. The rescuers succeeded in penetrating only 200 yards because of the debris, which completely choked the passageway. They uncovered a number of bodies.

### DYING, KILLS HER BABE

Mother Swallows Acid, and Presses Her Lips to Infant's.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 22.—After swallowing a large dose of carbolic acid at her home here, Mrs. Mary Kadolich lay down on the bed with her lips pressed to those of her five-day-old infant, which she firmly clasped in her arms.

When found the baby was dead, as the result of absorbing the fresh acid from her mother's lips, and Mrs. Kadolich was in a dying condition. It is said she quarreled with her husband.

### Adopts Married Woman.

Norristown, Pa., Dec. 22.—On petition of Henry J. Stager, of Glenside, the court made a decree permitting him to adopt as his child Glenna Potts, of Asbury Park, N. J. Mrs. Potts is thirty-four years old, and is the wife of Dr. George W. Potts. Her husband and her mother, who is the wife of Mr. Stager, consent to the adoption. Stager says he wishes to make Mrs. Potts his heir.

### Bank Creditors Get \$127,000.

Washington, Dec. 22.—Another dividend has been allowed the creditors of the Allegheny National bank, of Pittsburgh, Pa., which was closed in May, 1908. This time the creditors get 8 per cent, which amounts to about \$127,000. They have received 85 per cent of their claims.

Farmer Who Attacked Girl Sentenced. Peoria, Ill., Dec. 22.—Joseph Hoffman, a young farmer, who attacked Miss Maze Clark, a school teacher, at Big Hollow, Nov. 1, was found guilty and was sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary.

### \$25,000 For Dishwasher.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 22.—William Stump, a dishwasher in a restaurant, is making plans for a grand Christmas celebration. He was notified that his mother-in-law had died at Pinckneyville, Ill., leaving him \$25,000.

## VETERAN SLAIN WITH HATCHET

Richard Mercer Was Murdered by Robber.

### BLOODY HATCHET FOUND

West Chester Police Believe Aged Man Was Killed as He Slept and Money Stolen.

West Chester, Pa., Dec. 22.—Struck on the head with a hatchet while he was asleep on a couch in the dining-room of his house, Richard Mercer, seventy-one years old, a veteran of the Civil War, who resided at Grove, a hamlet four miles from here, was murdered last Monday afternoon.

The aged man had been killed with a hatchet, and the implement, covered with blood, was found near the house.

The murder was discovered Wednesday by a farmer named William Bell. He passed the home of Mercer and saw a loaf of bread on the porch. As the bread was there Tuesday morning, Bell thought that something had happened to Mercer. He looked through a window of the house facing the road and saw the body lying on the sofa. Then he summoned other farmers and they entered the house to investigate.

The veteran had been struck on the head with a hatchet while he was asleep. The walls of the house near the couch were splattered with blood and the hatchet was found in the rear of a small building near the home, which Mercer had used as a cabinet shop.

The motive for the murder is a question to be determined by the police and other officials of Chester county. Nothing had apparently been disturbed, but it is believed the murderer obtained a sum of money that was in the house.

The police say they have a clue to the identity of the murderer. They suspect a tramp who passed through Grove on Monday afternoon. It is supposed that he saw Mercer go out of the house and that he entered the place and hid until Mercer had returned and had fallen asleep on the couch.

Residents of Grove and the vicinity are agitated over the discovery, and some of the farmers are already out searching through Chester county for a man who, it is thought, might know how Mercer died.

Those who found the body thought that Mercer had died from natural causes. They lighted the lamp and then saw that the head was covered with blood. The wound was in the rear of the head, and it is said that Mercer's skull had been crushed. There was another wound in the temple that looked as though a bullet may have penetrated the head.

Without searching further, the farmers ran to the nearest telephone and notified the police of West Chester. Then they returned to the house. A further examination showed that blood from the body had spurted upon the wall near the spot where the couch had been placed.

The house had not been ransacked, but the sum of money that the veteran kept in the house is said to be missing.

### TAFT TO GIVE TURKEYS

All Married Men Employed at White House to Get One.

Washington, Dec. 22.—President Taft will present a fat turkey to every married man employed in any capacity about the White House.

This includes office workers and policemen and others to the number of more than 100, so that the president will have to disburse as the official Santa Claus of the White House about 1000 pounds of turkey.

The president's own turkey will come from Horace Vose, of Rhode Island, and is expected in Washington in a few days.

### Orphan Inherits \$100,000.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 22.—Miss Alma Stanley, an orphan and a teacher in the public schools of this city, has become possessor of a fortune of \$100,000 by the terms of the will of Mrs. Josephine Abbott, her great-aunt. Mrs. Abbott, who was regarded as one of the wealthiest women in the state, left an estate worth \$750,000. Of this amount her husband, Colonel B. F. Abbott, received \$50,000.

### Women Students Revolt.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 22.—Not only in St. Petersburg, but in all the scholastic centers of Russia, students continue to hold meetings of protest against the barbarities suffered by political prisoners. Arrests, fines and imprisonment seem unavailing to suppress the movement. Three thousand students of the Woman's university assembled and sang revolutionary songs.

Fire Almost Wipes Out W. Va. Town. Jacksonburg, W. Va., Dec. 22.—Fire almost wiped out this place. Starting at an early hour in the Elks hotel, the fire swept through the business section with alarming rapidity. The loss is \$75,000 and may reach \$100,000.

Senate Confirms Appointments. Washington, Dec. 22.—The senate confirmed C. G. McChord, of Kentucky, and B. H. Meyer, of Wisconsin, to be members of the interstate commerce commission.

## ORRTANNA

Orrtanna, Dec. 22.—Charles Rife has the foundation dug for his new residence that will be erected this winter on High street.

Mrs. Amelia Kready and daughter, Pauline left for Steelton where they will spend Christmas.

Mrs. Ida Stoner has gone to Stoney Brook to attend the Stoner-Boudry wedding which will take place the day before Christmas.

John Kime, who with his family has come from the west, is having his goods unloaded now and intends to make this his future home.

Mrs. Charles Grimes, of Hanover, spent Sunday with her niece, Mrs. John Starnier.

Mrs. Jere Plank entertained to dinner Sunday William Morton, of York. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baumgardner and children, Earl and Mildred, and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Starnier.

Harvey Beard has returned home to spend the winter months with his mother.

Ross King has gone to Boston where he will be engaged in packing apples for storage.

## IRON SPRINGS

Iron Springs, Dec. 22.—Messrs. Joe Carson, John Peters and Andy Peters, of Waynesboro, spent several days with D. R. McClellan and family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reed and child, of Bendersville Station, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed, Sr., on last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Charles Sample and Miss Grace Woodring, of Charnian, visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Carbaugh one day last week.

## PARTY

A very enjoyable party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Stoops, of Virginia Mills, on Thursday evening, Dec. 15th. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Stoops, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Reaser, Misses Alice Strausbaugh, Esther Herring, Alice Baker, Esther Reaser, Gladys Metz, Ruth Lauver, Jennie Wilkison and Myrtle Stoops, Messrs. Maurice Naugle, Isaac Metz, Clyde Shindledocker, Roy Chapman, Philip King, William Shindledocker, Samuel Kump, Curtis Chapman, Howard Baker, Ira Smith, Harry Kint, Charles Strausbaugh, Amos Baker, Walter Kint, Charles Shindledocker, Frank Kump, Howard Strausbaugh, Harry Watson, Robert Kump, Harry Baker and Cletus Herring.

DONT' fail to look for Henry Kalbfleisch's ad on another page. It may interest you.

Phone early to Raymond's cafe that you will be there for Christmas dinner, Sunday, December 25. Price 35 cents.

AIR PLANTS, moss wreaths, ferns and other Christmas plants at the Gettysburg Flower Gardens, 131 Buford avenue.

FOR SALE: the new two story frame dwelling house on Chambersburg street, adjoining residence of J. M. Caldwell, also the two story frame building adjoining on west, both known as the Louis Kumerant properties. Apply to Martin Winter, Agent.

ANOTHER lot of men's bath and lounging robes received at \$3.50 to \$5.00. G. W. Weaver and Son.

FOR SALE—Genuine bull terrier pups, 7 weeks old \$10.00 male \$4.00 female, 211 Chambersburg street.

LOST: a white bull terrier, wearing a collar with brass plate. Return to City Hotel.

## All Tired Out

Hundreds More in Gettysburg in the Same Plight.

Tired all the time; Weak and worn out night and day; Back aches; side aches; All on account of the kidneys. Must help them at their work. A Gettysburg citizen shows you how:

Mrs. John A. Menchey, 46 Breckenridge St., Gettysburg, Pa., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are an effective kidney medicine. I can recommend them just as highly today as I did two years ago when I gave a public statement in their favor. For a long time I was in poor health and finally kidney trouble made its appearance. The pains in my back were so severe that I could hardly move and often I became very dizzy. I had chills and headaches and knew that something must be done. On the advice of a friend, I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at the People's Drug Store and to my gratification their use restored me to good health. Doan's Kidney Pills are a blessing to kidney sufferers."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

## Indigestion

Relief in Five Minutes and Permanent Cure or Money Back

When the People's Drug Store states that they have a remedy that only costs 50 cents and is guaranteed to cure any man or woman who suffers from food fermentation, or money back, what are the poor stomach sufferers in Gettysburg and vicinity going to do about it?

Food fermentation causes belching, sour stomach, gas eructation, heartburn and that lump of lead feeling as you probably know.

The name of this most remarkable stomach prescription is MI-O-NA. Most people call them MI-O-NA stomach tablets because they know that there is no remedy so good for indigestion or stomach disorders. Here is one opinion:

"I have been troubled with indigestion for more than a year. I bought one box of MI-O-NA and it cured me. Now I would not be without a box in the house for \$5.00. It saves a lot of doctor bills when you can be cured for 50 cents." Arthur Sederquist, 1 Nichols St., Wakefield, Mass. MI-O-NA stomach tablets cost 50 cents a box at The People's Drug Store and druggists everywhere and money back if they don't cure.

## Eczema and Skin Troubles

Does your skin become dry or maybe scaly, sometimes itchy? These are some symptoms of eczema and should have immediate attention.

You'll find that MANOLINE, while helping all these troubles is also pleasant to use.

Get it if you are not using it. Try it, and if not entirely satisfied in every respect with the result, bring back the empty tube and the 25c it cost you will be refunded. Be sure to use Manoline because it helps the skin.

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PUBLIC SALE of slab wood Saturday, December 24, 1910. P. S. Sowers.

C. B. Hoffman will furnish dressed chickens on short notice.

DID you see the Free sewing machine at Chas. S. Mumper's.

## The Breath of Christmas

The magic breath of Christmas has cast a glow of beauty and color here. All our best efforts have never in previous years produced so splendid a showing of Christmas

## FURNITURE

It is simply out of the question for us to say what we have. Would be easier to say what we do not have. The richness and beauty of this display will repay you for your visit, and nowhere can you find a more delectable selection of Christmas treasures.

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## Held For Ransom

By M. QUAD

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On a certain summer's afternoon Mr. James Gilbert of Gilbert's bank in a town we will call Hopedale opened the telephone in his private office to be greeted by a strange humming of the wires. Then two or three voices began calling and talking. Then some one used energetic language to central, and she answered resentfully. Then came a voice that gave the banker a start. It had been two years since he heard it. From the jingle of voices he made out the words:

"Auto ran over calf; pay \$10; farmer won't let me go; no money; hurry up. Hello, central; hello, hello! Oh, dear!" The banker smiled. Two years before while fishing from the wharf and before establishing the bank a summer girl from the hotel on the hill had come paddling about in her store made canoe. He saw at once that she was a novice. He saw also that she had not yet passed her twentieth year and was his style of beauty. For a young man of twenty-four who had fished a full hour without a nibble Mr. Gilbert was in luck.

Of course the owner of the canoe was bound to show off. It was only her second voyage in the birch bark, but she thought she knew all the canoe tricks and was ready to resent any advice. She wasn't tendered any to resent, however. The young man contented himself with taking off his coat and slipping off his shoes. When the canoe turned turtle he was ready. He took a long dive and came to the surface with the choking, struggling girl in his arms and reached the shore with her.

That evening he appeared at the hotel to be effusively thanked by Judge Henrys, the father, and by the grateful, if chagrined, canoeist. Several other evenings saw him there as well, and between talking politics with the father and canoeing with Miss Kitty the time was passed very pleasantly. Something was said about correspondence when father and daughter left for their home in the city. As a matter of fact two or three letters did pass, and then Uncle Sam's carriers failed to deliver. The young banker had puzzled a bit, as perhaps had some one else, and now, on account of the crossed wires, he was hearing her voice again.

What had that voice said? It was trying to reach some one at the hotel on the hill, but evidently making a failure of it. The owner was in trouble somewhere. It looked as if she had gone out in an auto and run down a calf and the farmer was holding her until the damages were settled. The banker thought for a moment and then ordered his auto around.

Which way? He had trusted to luck once and would again. Out of town by the west highway—over the bridge—up the long hill and then straight ahead for five miles. Far ahead he saw an auto beside the road with two female figures in it and a farmer in sulky attitude leaning against the fence. The females in the auto were Miss Henrys and a girl friend. There was handshaking and introductions, and Miss Kitty explained:

"We were coming along at about ten miles an hour when the calf ran in front of the machine. I was willing to pay damages, but had no money, and the man here would not take one of my rings."

"I hadn't taking no rings any more. Feller come along here last summer and run over my old woman and then left a diamond ring that turned out to be glass."

He was given his money by the banker.

Of course Mr. Gilbert had to call at the summer hotel that evening to talk the matter over. There was something that the young people wanted to say, but they couldn't say it until after Judge Henrys had poured out his thanks and remembered that he had to meet a man in the lobby. Even after he had departed the matter lingered, but it was very soon cleared up.

Two weeks later, in the banker's auto, Miss Kitty and Mr. Gilbert went spinning over the west road. So earnest was their talk that they failed to note that they were drawing near the farm where the calf accident had occurred. They were forcibly reminded of the locality, however, when a hog suddenly rose from the wayside ditch in front of the farmhouse and reached the center of the road just in time to be converted into fresh pork. The farmer was looking on, and he came out to say, and looking at Miss Kitty as he said it:

"Ding my buttons, if you haven't went and gone and done it ag'in!"

"Of course I'll pay," said the banker as he took out his purse. "How much is it?"

"You needn't say anything to the gal about it, but I'll make it an even \$3."

"You are very generous," was the reply as the money was handed over.

"What was he talking about?" asked the young lady as the banker returned to the auto and they proceeded.

"Um! He appears to be very sensible."

"But what was the talk about?"

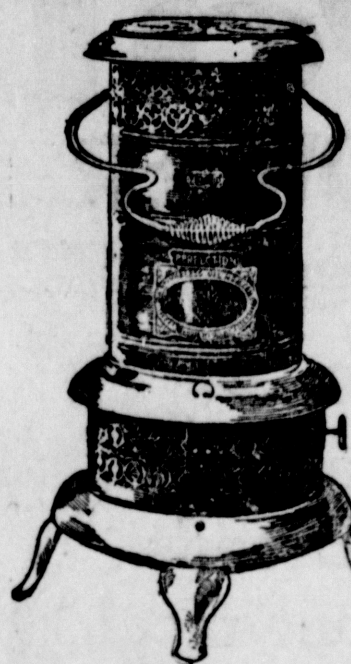
"Oh, he—he said I ought to get married."

The young lady looked off into the fields and made no reply, and ten long minutes after he had spoken the banker added:

"And I think so too."

And a year later he did.

## You Can Work Near a Window



in winter when you have a Perfection Oil Heater. It is a portable radiator which can be moved to any part of a room, or to any room in a house. When you have a

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## Shutting Off Drafts.

Every crack, crevice or hole in or about the windows in which plants are kept during winter should be closed by pasting paper over the smaller ones, stuffing with soft paper or rags the larger and wherever it can be employed filling with well beaten putty.

## Poultry Pointers.

Most farmers keep too many roosters in proportion to the hens. This is a prime cause of infertility in eggs. An overfertilized egg is often yolkless and is always infertile. One cock to ten to fifteen hens is sufficient.

The main factor in securing success with poultry in winter lies in the hen-house being perfectly dry and warm with sufficient light and ventilation. Beware of providing too much ventilation, for in winter that means frozen combs, colds and kindred evils.

Poorly dressed poultry goes begging in the market, while the supply of choice (fancy) stock is not sufficient to meet the demand.

A box of granulated charcoal should be kept in the poultry house.

If fowls or chicks have access to charcoal they will never be troubled with intestinal worms.

High grade manure will be wanted next spring for garden work, and it will pay to collect and care for the poultry droppings.

In breeding ducks new drakes should be introduced into the flock each year. New blood should be introduced every time any of the young birds are used.

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W. H. Kalbfleisch  
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# A CHRISTMAS FAIRY STORY.

By AILEEN ORR.

THERE was once upon a time a little black boy called Billy. He had lived all his short life in a black camp with his parents and a number of other aborigines of the tribe. Billy had never been very kindly treated, and as he had a soft heart himself he sometimes felt it very much.

Now, one Christmas time, being left alone as usual, with no presents of any sort and no treat, he began to think of all the stories he had been told about the white children's Christmas and determined then and there to find out what it was really like. He had heard of the Christmas hills in a country many miles off and planned to go there, believing from their name that these must contain all the mysteries of Santa Claus and other joys from which he had always been isolated.

With a loving farewell to his own mia mia—the little shelter of branches which he had built for himself against the thunderstorms—he set off with only a piece of opossum skin hung round his waist for clothing and a boomerang in his hand.

Billy journeyed for many hours over paddocks and wire fences, wading bravely through creeks, water holes and bracken undergrowth, where the snakes were very numerous and poisonous, till he found himself in a beautiful valley between a blue and a purple mountain. Approaching a vineyard, he asked an old gardener where the Christmas hills lay.

"Yonder," said the man, pointing straight in front of them toward the blue mountain. "This is Yarra Glen."

The little black boy was very hot and thirsty, for the sun had been beating fiercely upon him all the way along, so he begged a few of the round juicy grapes which hung in rich profusion on the vines.

"By all means," said the good natured gardener as he picked him the largest bunch he could find, ripe and inviting, with the bloom upon them. Billy thanked him, saying he hoped some time to be able to return his kindness, and, taking the fruit, he continued his way with a light heart.

As he climbed and climbed, rising higher and higher, the glen grew smaller and smaller below him till he could not see the old man any more. Soon the hill became so steep and slippery that he was forced to draw himself up from tree to tree by holding first on to one branch, and then another. Blue gum and wattles rose high above him in monotonous grandeur till he began to wonder where the Christmas trees

and stockings were and how they grew. Feeling thirsty again, he was putting some more grapes into his mouth, when suddenly he perceived a poor old woman lying on the ground, looking very faint and ill.

"Give me some, kind youth!" she gasped. "I have been sunstruck."

"But I have traveled many miles on foot and am parched with thirst," said Billy.

"I am dying," groaned the other feebly. "Have pity."

Whereupon, moved to sympathy, he gave her all he had left.

To his astonishment as she was eating them she turned into a lovely fairy queen all dressed in soft, shimmering blue, the color of the sky.

"As you have done me a service," she said, "I mean to reward you in the way you most want. You shall have a real Australian Christmas."

Billy was overjoyed and at her bidding followed her through the bush till they reached a wonderful garden filled with brilliant flowers and fruit which surpassed his wildest dreams. Strawberries grew in masses all along the borders, and the trees were laden with luscious ripe peaches, nectarines, figs and every other southern fruit he had ever thought or heard of in or out of season.

Here they entered, and the blue fairy summoned ten other little fairies just Billy's own size and age to wait upon and entertain him. They were all in different colors, so that as they flitted about him in the sunlight with their floating gossamer gowns they looked like a rainbow.

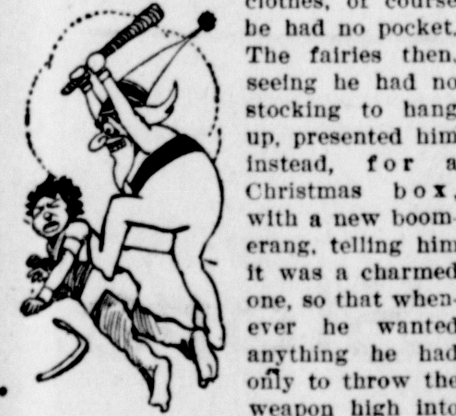
Feast the little darky boy;  
Give him pudding, fruit and toy;  
Sing and dance and merry make;  
Don't forget the Christmas cake  
For the goodly darky boy!

Having sung and danced for him, they then set the Christmas dinner on a long, narrow table out in the garden. There were strawberries and cream, and grape cake, mince pies (Gunsler made so many that Christmas he never missed those the fairies stole), chocolates, pineapple dumplings, and last, but most important, instead of a hot plum pudding with holly, as the cold countries have, there was a huge ice cream pudding, with precious stones instead of raisins through it, and a piece of yellow wattle blossoms stuck in the top.

Five fairies sat at one side of the table and five at the other, while Billy sat at the foot, and the blue queen at the head. They filled their glasses with magic wine, so that all who drank would be lucky all the new year round. Each fairy's wine matched her dress; the green one had

green wine, the pink one pink wine and the purple fairy purple wine, and so on till it came to Billy, and his was black with a crimson light in it, and he thought it more delicious than anything he had ever tasted. Then they were given each a large slice of the grape cake, and afterward anything they wanted till they had appetite left for only the ice pudding, which on such a hot day was most refreshing. Each fairy found in her share a precious stone again to match her dress. The yellow fairy got a topaz, the heliotrope an amethyst, the blue a sapphire, and so on till it came to Billy, who, after eating for some time, suddenly closed his white teeth upon something very hard and, taking it out and looking at it, found it was an opal with every one of the fairy colors combined gleaming in it.

All the fairies gathered round him and exclaimed, "That is a magic opal, and the owner of it will some day become chief of his tribe." Hearing this, he put it in his mouth under his tongue for safety, for, as he had no



THE GOBLIN KNOCKED the air and it HIM DOWN. would return with the object of his choice and lay it at his feet.

But alas, there was a wicked little goblin peeping through from the bough of a peach tree, and, though he had not heard about or seen the boomerang, he had caught all regarding the magic opal and had seen Billy place it under his tongue. So when the little black boy had bidden goodby, thanking the fairies for his Christmas feast, and started home again he was waylaid in the bush by the evil goblin who had followed him out of the garden to rob him. Billy refused to give up his stone and cried for help, but the goblin knocked him down and beat him till he lost consciousness. Then the wicked creature forced open his mouth, stole the magic opal and ran away with it as fast as he could.

When poor Billy recovered he soon noticed that the opal was gone and guessed who had taken it, but he was in despair of ever finding it again, so, sitting miserably on the ground, he opened his mouth wide and cried long and loud. But this he soon realized was a silly, useless thing to do. Just then he spied his boomerang, which he had quite forgotten, on the ground nearby, and, remembering what the blue fairy had told him, he picked it up, and, jumping to his feet, he threw it skillfully high into the air.

Away it swung without touching the trees, and, sure enough, as the goblin, a couple of miles off, was just admiring his plunder, the boomerang lifted it out of his hand before his very eyes and carried it back to the feet of its rightful owner. Billy shouted for joy, and, putting it once more in his mouth, he took his wonderful toy under his arm and sped down the hill. When he reached the vineyard he saw the gardener still at work, so, asking him what he would most like as a token of gratitude for the grapes, the old man looked him up and down and answered, "There is not much a little fellow like you could do for me."

"I can do my best," said Billy. "There is only one thing I want," said the gardener sadly, "and that is the little daughter I lost in the bush a year ago."

No sooner said than the boomerang went whizzing through the air as before, and in a few moments it came



CAME FLOATING SWIFTLY BACK. found himself

back in the black camp where his little mia mia and aborigine companions were. When they found how successfully he could throw and the wonderful things the boomerang brought back he grew so very popular and rich that they at length made him chief of the tribe. Then he married a sweet little black girl with the tightest, tiny black curls and the blackest possible eyes. Round her neck he hung the magic opal, and as she wore it always they lived happily ever afterward.—Leslie's Weekly.

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The feeding value of any article depends not only on its chemical composition, but on the digestibility of the matter it contains. It may contain a very high proportion of valuable food material, but part of this material may be in such form that animals are not able to digest it. While the hull of

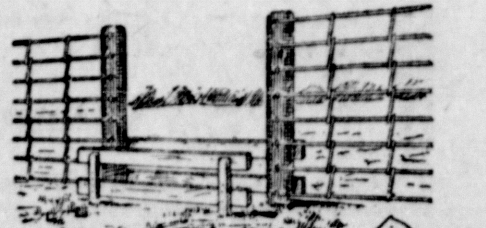
oats contains little that is digestible, it serves to lighten the grain ration and to give bulk and in that way aids the complete digestion of the grain. Oats contain more digestible protein than barley or corn and nearly as much as wheat. This grain is also much higher in fat than barley or wheat and practically as high as corn. In carbohydrates, the cheapest portion of the food, oats are considerably lower than any of the other grains. Oat straw ranks much higher in digestible protein and fat than the straw from any of the other grains and nearly as high in carbohydrates. It contains less protein than corn stover, but more of the other food constituents. Oat hay is higher than timothy hay in all the digestible nutrients.

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### Good Policy.

Mrs. Stubb—Why, John, the last family that occupied this house left some old jars in the pantry. Mr. Stubb—H'm! Mary, that is a good policy. Mrs. Stubb—What is a good policy? Mr. Stubb—Why, when you move leave your family jars behind you.—Chicago News.

To Keep Hogs Where They Belong. This will illustrate a contrivance which I am using, says a correspondent of the National Stockman and Farmer. It becomes necessary sometimes to pasture adjoining fields with cattle and horses, leaving the hogs in either field. My plan is this: Nail boards from the ground up, say about sixteen inches, at or upon the main



BARRIER FOR HOGS.

(From the National Stockman and Farmer.)

gate posts. Then plant two stub posts, say about fourteen inches from gate posts, nailing boards to them also, same height. The principal is this: The cattle and horses can step over or between these obstructions, while the hogs cannot jump them. They can go through or between, but in order to jump our hogship must "square" himself, as this last arrangement prevents him from taking this square position.

### A Valuable Paper.

Wife (reading)—After their separation he sent her a legal document giving her control of their child. Husband (with a deep sigh)—I wish I knew where we could get a document that would give us control of our child.—Chicago News.